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TO 3600 MAIL ROOM

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the above application as follows.

## IN THE CLAIMS

(amended) Apparatus according to claim 1 [or 2], wherein the support means includes a support plat form (31), and one end of the recoil buffering means is directly secured to the support platform (31).

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